# ARKANSAS WEATHER AND CROP PROGRESS



\*Planting Cotton/Sorghum/Soybeans

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**RELEASED**: June 11, 2001 3:00 p.m. days suitable for fieldwork. Temperatures were average with rainfall below average. Soil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 12 percent short, 64 percent adequate and 22 percent surplus.

*CROPS*: Cotton, sorghum and soybeans planting continued. Cotton and sorghum planting are complete. Cotton, corn and sorghum were being cultivated. Soybeans and rice were being sprayed with herbicides and being fertilized. Some cotton fields were being sprayed for thrips. Other activities included harvesting hay, preparing harvest equipment for wheat, fertilizing, liming and applying weed control in pastures.

LIVESTOCK: Cattle were in good condition. Cattle were being vaccinated and wormed.

### **Crop Progress and Conditions**

	Condition %								
CROP Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	Previous Year	5 Year Average	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
SORGHUM					1	2	23	61	13
Planted	100	99	95	98					
Emerged	92	91	94	96					
COTTON					0	3	19	70	8
Planted	100	99	100	100					
Emerged	99	93	99	99					
Squaring	35	18	5	15					
SOYBEANS					1	4	33	52	10
Planted	74	69	69	67					
Emerged	69	61	53	54					
RICE					1	5	28	50	16
Emerged	99	98	95	96					
CORN					0	1	18	58	23
WHEAT					2	10	35	46	7
Harvested	8	1	49	30					
ALFALFA					0	9	31	57	3
ОТН. НАҮ					5	22	34	34	5
PASTURE					5	13	40	38	4

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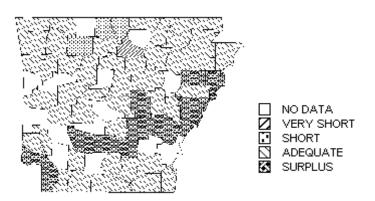
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## **SOIL MOISTURE SUPPLIES**

## **WEATHER FOR THE WEEK ENDING:**

June 10, 2001. Temperatures were average for the week. Precipitation was below average, with some areas receiving rainfall mid week. Hot Springs and North Little Rock recorded the high temperature of  $93^{\circ}$  and Gilbert and Mountain Home recorded the low temperature of  $58^{\circ}$ . Precipitation ranged from a high of 2.68 inches at Camden to a low of 0.00 inch at several reporting stations.



#### TEMPERATURES AND PRECIPITATION WEEK ENDING: June 10, 2001

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	TE	MPER A	ATURES	RAINFALL					
DISTRICT			DEPARTURE	WEEK	CURRENT		JANUARY-MAY		
AND	нісн	LOW	FROM	ENDING	JUNE	JUNE			
STATION			NORMAL	JUNE 10	ACCUM.	NORMAL	2001	NORMAL	
1 Fayetteville	86	62	2	0.10	0.10	4.55	19.17	17.30	
Harrison	86	62	3	0.01	0.01	4.70	14.03	18.04	
2 Calico Rock	88	59	3	0.06	0.06	3.99	15.27	18.75	
Evening Shade				na	0.00	3.40	0.00	20.17	
Gilbert	89	58	3	0.00	0.00	3.78	16.13	18.45	
Greers Ferry	88	63	3	0.00	0.00	3.72	17.66	22.28	
Mountain Home	87	58	3	0.10	0.10	4.16	16.44	18.60	
3 Batesville	88	63	1	0.16	0.16	3.32	15.55	20.82	
Black Rock				na	0.00	3.16	0.00	21.05	
Georgetown				na	0.00	3.87	0.00	23.58	
Jonesboro	90	60	0	0.68	0.68	3.10	18.71	23.00	
Keiser				na	0.00	3.43	18.83	23.85	
Newport	91	63	1	0.10	0.10	3.92	23.45	22.62	
4 Booneville	91	67	na	0.02	0.02	na	23.43	na	
Clarksville	88	67	2	0.00	0.00	3.85	18.01	19.72	
Dardanelle	91	64	2	0.00	0.00	4.17	20.50	20.62	
Ft. Smith	91	68	3	0.00	0.00	3.39	24.05	17.66	
Mena	86	62	1	0.04	0.04	4.24	26.71	23.28	
Ozark	89	67	2	0.00	0.00	3.53	21.05	18.79	
5 Hot Springs	93	64	1	0.71	0.71	4.40	29.64	25.46	
N Little Rock	93	69	3	0.33	0.33	3.26	21.18	22.03	
6 Augusta				na	0.00	3.83	0.00	22.78	
Marianna	89	66	-1	0.41	0.41	3.37	23.36	24.56	
Stuttgart	90	62	0	0.33	0.33	3.61	27.63	23.13	
7 Hope	90	64	0	0.98	0.98	4.25	37.44	23.20	
8 Camden	90	66	-1	2.68	2.68	3.65	38.47	23.07	
El Dorado	89	66	1	1.45	1.45	3.62	35.03	23.75	
9 Arkansas City				na	0.00	3.21	0.00	25.85	
Eudora				na	0.00	3.63	31.31	26.13	
Pine Bluff	89	67	-1	0.76	0.76	3.05	28.26	24.72	
Rohwer	90	67	1	0.53	0.53	3.38	34.50	25.39	

na = data not available

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